

LIST OF PRIZES TO BE AWARDED AT THE HORTICULTURAL SHOW TO BE HELD AT THE LAL-BAGH ON 2ND FEBRUARY 1905.

CLASS I.—PERENNIAL FLOWERS IN POTS.

No.	Description.	Rs.
1.	Best Standard Roses, in six varieties and six pots	8
2.	Second best do in do do	5
3.	Best Dwarf Roses in do do	6
4.	Second best do in do do	4
5.	Best General Collection of Roses not including the above; not less than twelve pots and not exceeding twenty.	15
6.	Second best do do do	10
7.	Third best do do do	5
8.	Best new Roses, exhibited for the first time	8
9.	Best Double Geraniums, in six or more varieties, not exceeding 25 pots	6
10.	Second best do in do do	4
11.	Best new Geraniums, exhibited for the first time one pot of each	6
12.	Best Single Geraniums, in eight or more varieties, not exceeding 25 pots	6
13.	Second best do in do do	4
14.	Best Ivy-leaved Geraniums, double or single not exceeding 25 pots	5
15.	Second best do do do	3
16.	Best Pansies, in eight or more varieties, but not exceeding 25 pots	5
17.	Second best do do do	3
18.	Best Perennial Phlox, in three or more varieties	5
19.	Second best do do do	3
20.	Best Double Petunias, in four or more varieties	5
21.	Second best do in do do	3
22.	Best Verbenas, in six or more varieties, but not exceeding 15 pots	5
23.	Second best do in do do	3
24.	Best Fuchsias, in four or more varieties	5
25.	Best new Dracenas, one plant of each variety	6
26.	Best new Anthuriums do do	6
27.	Best Violets	4
28.	Best Amaryllis	5
29.	Best Cyclamens	4
*30.	Best new Crotons, exhibited for the first time, one of each variety	6
31.	Best Chrysanthemums, in eight or more varieties but not exceeding 25 pots	5
32.	Second best do do do	3
33.	Best Cannas in twelve or more varieties	6
34.	Second best do in do do	4
35.	Best Lobelia	4
36.	Best Carnations, in three or more varieties	5
37.	Second best do in do do	3
*38.	Best Collection of Perennial Plants in flower, not less than twelve pots and not exceeding twenty.	10
*39.	Best Novelties in Perennials, exhibited for the first time one plant of each	5
*40.	Best new Foliage plants of different species, exhibited for the first time, one plant of each species or variety.	10
41.	Best General Collection of Panax and Aralia, one plant of each variety	8
42.	Best General Collection of Foliage Plants without duplicates	20
43.	Second best do do do	12
44.	Best General Collection of Ferns without duplicates	20
45.	Second best do do do	12
46.	Best General Collection of Palms, one plant of each	15
47.	Second best do do do	10
Total		375

CLASS II.—ANNUAL FLOWERS IN POTS.

1.	Best Nasturtiums, in six or more varieties	4
2.	Second best do do do	2
3.	Best Single Petunias, in six or more varieties	5
4.	Second best do do do	3
5.	Best Antirrhinums, in six or more varieties	4
6.	Best Phlox Drummondii, in ten or more varieties limited to fifty pots	4
7.	Second best do do do	2
8.	Best Pinks, in six or more varieties limited to 50 pots	4
9.	Second best do do do	2
10.	Best Asters, in six or more varieties	4
11.	Second best do do do	2
*12.	Best General Collection of Annuals in flower	6
*13.	Second best do do do	4
*14.	Best Novelties in Annuals, exhibited for the first time one of each	5
15.	Best Balsams, in six or more varieties	4
16.	Second best do in do do	2
17.	Best Mimulus	4
18.	Best Cineraria	4
19.	Best Cockscomb	4
Total		69

CLASS III.—CUT FLOWERS.

No.	Description.	Rs.
1.	Best Cut Roses, not less than twelve varieties to be exhibited singly on Exhibition desks.	6
2.	Second best do	4
3.	Best Hand Bouquet	6
4.	Second best do	4
5.	Best Arrangement of Flowers, &c., in a vase	7
6.	Second best do do	5
7.	Best Collection of Cultivated Flowers	6
8.	Second best do	4
9.	Best Collection and Arrangement of Wild Flowers and Grasses	5
10.	Best Arrangement for Dinner Table	8
11.	Second best do	5
12.	Third best do	3
Total		63

*Mr. George Hodson's prize of Rs. 10 for the most artistic arrangement of cut flowers in a vase basket or bowl; to be competed for by children under 12 years of age. The arrangement of the flowers to be done at the Show by the child, who may be attended by a native servant only.

CLASS IV.—FRUITS.

1.	Best Apples, in six or more varieties	10
2.	Second best do in do	5
3.	Third best do in do	3
4.	Best Peaches, in two or more varieties	6
5.	Second best do in do	4
6.	Best Strawberries	5
7.	Second best do	3
8.	Best Guavas	2
9.	Best Raspberries	3
10.	Best Hill Gooseberry	2
11.	Best Mulberries	3
12.	Best Melons	2
13.	Best Figs	4
14.	Best Grapes, in three or more varieties	6
15.	Best Pmeloes, do do	3
16.	Best Imported Oranges	4
*17.	Best Plantains (only of the finest varieties)	5
*18.	Best Collection of Fruits of all kinds arranged in a basket	10
19.	Second best do do do	7
20.	Third best do	4
*21.	Best Novelty in Fruit, exhibited for the first time	4
Total		95

CLASS V.—VEGETABLES.

*1.	Best Potatoes, in six varieties, half a maund of each	10
*2.	Second best do do do	6
*3.	Third best do do do	4
4.	Best Cauliflower, not less than three	5
5.	Second best do do	3
6.	Best Broccoli	3
7.	Best Cabbage, not less than three, and excluding drumhead	5
8.	Second best do do do	3
9.	Best Celery	4
10.	Second best do	2
11.	Best Beet	3
12.	Second best do	2
13.	Best Knol khol	3
14.	Best Turnips	4
15.	Best English Radish	3
16.	Best Tomato, not less than three varieties	3
17.	Best Green Peas (Imported)	5
18.	Second best do	3
19.	Best Parsnips	4
20.	Best English Carrots	5
21.	Second best do	3
22.	Best Asparagus	3
23.	Best Onions	4
24.	Best Brussels Sprouts	4
25.	Best Leeks	3
26.	Best Endive	2
27.	Best Capsicums	3
28.	Best Cho-cho	2
29.	Best Brinjals	3

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No.	Description.	Ra.
30.	Best Lettuce (Cabbage)	3
31.	Best do (Cos)	2
*32.	Best Custard Marrow	4
33.	Best Pumpkins	2
34.	Best Collection of Sweet Herbs	3
35.	Best Basket of English Vegetables	10
36.	Second best do	6
37.	Third best do	3
38.	Best Novelty in Vegetables, exhibited for the first time	4
39.	Best Bendekayi	2
40.	Best Nellavarekayi	2
41.	Best Gorikayi	2
42.	Best Huralikayi	2
43.	Best Padavalakayi	2
44.	Best Budi Kumbalakayi	2
45.	Best Collection of Country Vegetables in varieties other than those mentioned above.	5
Total		161
Grand Total		703

General Conditions.

1. Prizes marked by an asterisk, are open to the whole Province, as also to the Presidency of Madras.

2. In view to arrangements being made for staging plants, it is requested that exhibitors will notify to the undersigned, four days prior to the Show, what number of pots they intend to enter, and for what prize they intend to compete. Plants intended for competition should be delivered in the Conservatory before 4 P.M. on the day previous to the Show.

3. Cut flowers may be delivered up till 2 P.M. on the day of the Show, but not later if intended for competition.

4. No prize shall be awarded unless there are at least two competitors for it, except in cases of rare excellence, when the Judges will use their own discretion.

The number of exhibits in all classes and sections should exceed the number of prizes offered, otherwise the Judges will be authorised to reduce the full value of such prizes.

5. It shall also be competent for the Judges to reduce the amount of prizes if, in their opinion, the articles exhibited do not merit the full sums.

6. Obtrusive staging, overcrowding, packing to conceal blemishes and artificial support to blooms, etc., will be judged as defects to an exhibit, preference being given to natural growth and artistic arrangement.

7. Where a number limit is laid down, any exhibit exceeding that number shall be disqualified.

8. Where one plant of each species or variety is specified as a condition, any exhibit containing duplicates shall be disqualified.

9. If funds are available, the Judges may award special extra prizes in cases of exceptional merit.

10. All exhibits sent for competition must be *bona fide* the produce of, or have been raised by, the exhibitors; and unless otherwise specified, must have been grown in Bangalore.

The Judges may withhold any prize until proof of these conditions be produced. Contractors bringing up fruit and vegetables for competition in their own name are disqualified.

11. Exhibitors will not be permitted to remove their exhibits until the Show is closed, and gardeners and others found offering articles for sale before 6 P.M. on the day of the Show shall be summarily ejected.

12. The names of exhibitors can only be attached to exhibits when the judging has been completed. Plant labels will be supplied by the Show executive, subject to the approval of the same.

The following Rules for awarding Medals at the Horticultural Shows

are hereby notified to the public.

The Government of His Highness the Maharaja have sanctioned the grant of medals in addition to the usual money prizes offered at the half yearly Horticultural Shows, subject to the following conditions:—

- (1) The medals will consist of, a gold medal for classes I and II, a silver medal for class IV, and a bronze medal for class V.
- (2) These medals will be awarded by the Judges, at their discretion, at the Summer Show held in July or August in each year.
- (3) The following exhibitors will be qualified for the award of a medal:—
 - (a) The exhibitor of the best all-round exhibit in the appropriate class or classes, taking the two shows of the calendar year together.
 - (b) The exhibitor of an exhibit of more than ordinary excellence in any sub-class.
 - (c) The exhibitor of any specially meritorious novelty.
- (4) No exhibitor who has been awarded a medal in any class will be qualified to receive another medal in that class during the three calendar years succeeding that in which he has received the medal.
- (5) No exhibitor will be qualified to receive a medal who is not the *bonâ fide* cultivator of his exhibit, or the actual occupant of the garden in which the exhibit was raised, e.g., no contractor, who has merely purchased fruit or vegetables exhibited will be eligible.
- (6) It will be open to the Judges to withhold any or all the medals in any year on the ground of deficiency of merit in the exhibits.

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